

State of Vermont
Agency of Natural Resources
Department of Environmental Conservation
Notice of Determination of Eligibility for Categorical Exclusion

Richmond Water Department, WSID #5084
Richmond, VT
Water System Improvements
DWSRF Loan RF3-302


In accordance with Section VII of the Department's Environmental Review Procedures for projects funded through the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) Program, the Richmond Water Department, located in the Town of Richmond, VT has requested its proposed storage tank replacement project be evaluated for eligibility for a categorical exclusion exempting the project from detailed environmental procedures required for projects having a significant environmental impact.

The project consists of the installation of a new 760,000-gallon water storage tank off of Jericho Road to provide adequate pressure and fireflow throughout the distribution system.

Our consideration of the Town of Richmond's request included reviewing environmental information and documentation completed and submitted by their engineering consultant, Green Mountain Engineering, Inc. At the completion of this independent evaluation, the Department has determined the project meets the criteria for receiving a Categorical Exclusion. The project will correct water system deficiencies and does not meet any of the criteria resulting in denial of an exclusion.

Further information on the project and this determination are available for inspection by contacting the DWSRF Program at (802) 585-4905. In addition to the applicant, a copy of this determination will be sent to a list of stakeholders and posted on the Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division's [Environmental Review Determination Notice](#) page.

Agency of Natural Resources
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David Mears, Commissioner

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Dated in Montpelier, Vermont this 4th day of September, 2014